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TITLE: OXIDATION SYSTEM CONTAINING )  
A MICROCYCLIC METAL COMPLEX, )  
THE PRODUCTION THEREOF AND )  
ITS USE )

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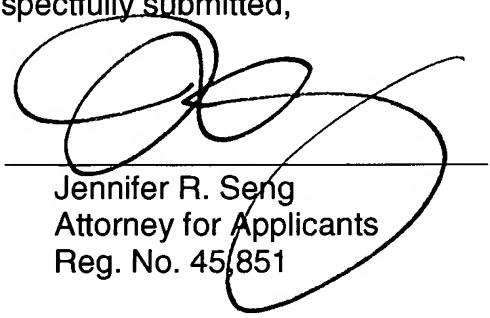
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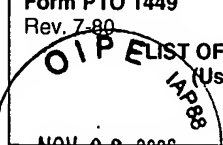
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